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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

Applicants have considered the non-final Office Action mailed October 27, 2009, in connection with the above-captioned patent application. Applicants kindly request reconsideration of the claims in light of the remarks that follow.

This paper includes the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** beginning on page 2; and

**Remarks** beginning on page 10.